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TOPIC Soviet Troops Returning to STENDAL from Maneuvers.

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STENDAL (M 53/Y 85) troops who had left for maneuvers on 3 October 1949 returned to their STENDAL quarters. The following observations were made:

1. Convoy of trucks, occupied by troops, with 25X1C

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2. A shipment of about 15 short-barreled self-propelled guns of about 80 mm caliber was detained in STENDAL. According to railroadmen the shipment had come from ALTENGRABOW (M 53/Z 00).

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Comment:

The report confirms previous information. * The units returning to STENDAL (primarily troops of the 207th Mtz Rifle Div) are believed to have participated in the final maneuvers of the Third Shock Army in the area east of the Elbe River, north of the Burg-BELZIG line.

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